## HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 246 By Black

A RESOLUTION to congratulate the Gallatin High School Green Wave and Coach Bobby Luna on winning the Region 5 Championship and participating in the TSSAA Class AAA Boys State Tournament.

WHEREAS, the Tennessee General Assembly is pleased to specially honor and commend those successful high school teams that, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to the State of Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Gallatin High School Boys Basketball team have devoted a significant amount of time and effort to practicing and perfecting their skills; and

WHEREAS, the Gallatin High School Green Wave achieved an extraordinary level of success during the 2002-2003 season, compiling a 21-12 record, winning the Region 5 Championship and earning a trip to the State Tournament; and

WHEREAS, this exemplary team gallantly battled its opponent in the State Tournament; the Green Wave never gave up, but unfortunately, time expired before they could achieve victory; and

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WHEREAS, Head Coach Bobby Luna along with his assistant coaches provided expert guidance and leadership for these fine young men throughout their outstanding season; and

WHEREAS, the boys basketball players at Gallatin High School epitomize all that is good in today's student-athlete, as they have achieved a high level of success on the court while showing the highest degree of character both on and off the court; they inspired the Gallatin High School student body and united their entire community while completing their extraordinary championship run through the 2002-2003 season; and

WHEREAS, the dedication, determination, work ethic and talent of this group of young men not only made possible their 21 victories during their hard fought and determined basketball season, but also surely bode well for their success in every future endeavor; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the Gallatin High School Green Wave for winning the Region 5 Championship and participating in the 2003 TSSAA Class AAA Boys State Basketball Tournament and serving as examples of the high quality of the youth of Tennessee; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we do hereby honor and congratulate Coach Bobby Luna and the Gallatin High School Green Wave on their remarkable 2002-2003 season, which included the Region 5 Championship and a berth in the State Tournament. The members of the Green Wave have proven themselves exemplary and capable young men who are worthy of this General Assembly's accolades.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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